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Examiner:

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Applicants : Ren et al.

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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the office action mailed June 10, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims appear beginning on page 2.

Remarks appear beginning on page 6